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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Further to the Amendment filed on April 17, 2008, enclosed is an Authorized Examiner's Amendment to the Claims sent as an attachment to an electronic communication from the undersigned Representative to Examiner Davis on July 17, 2008, and a written statement as to the substance of the discussion held between the undersigned Representative and Examiner Davis on July 7, 2008, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.133(b).

Authorized Examiner's Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this statement.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this statement.